

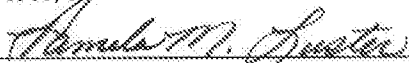
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This response is submitted in response to the Examiner's restriction requirement mailed March 14, 2008 (the "Office Action").

A Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time is being filed concurrently herewith, with payment of the appropriate fee.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.